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February 28, 2006

Honorable Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, DC 20423

Dear Secretary Williams:

I have enclosed two originals of the document described below, to be recorded pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 11301.

The document is a Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement, a secondary document, dated as of February 28, 2006. The primary document to which this is connected is recorded under Recordation No. 26204. We request that one copy of this document be recorded under Recordation No. 26204-B.

The names and addresses of the parties to the Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement are:

### Assignor:

Chase Equipment Leasing, Inc. 1111 Polaris Parkway, Suite A3 Columbus, OH 43065

#### Assignee:

Citizens Leasing Corporation d/b/a RBS Asset Finance 189 Canal Street Providence, RI 02903

A description of the equipment covered by the Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement consists of 106 FreightCar America Aluminum Rotary AutoFlood IIITM Railcars numbered XCLX 060139-060244, inclusive.

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A fee of \$ 33.00 is enclosed. Please return one original to:

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A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows: a Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement between Chase Equipment Leasing, Inc., 1111 Polaris Parkway, Suite A3, Columbus, OH 43065, and Citizens Leasing Corporation d/b/a RBS Asset Finance, 189 Canal Street, Providence, RI 02903, covering 106 FreightCar America Aluminum Rotary AutoFlood III<sup>TM</sup> Railcars numbered XCLX 060139-060244, inclusive.

Louis E. Gitomer

**Enclosures** 

### MEMORANDUM OF ASSIGNMENT AND ASSUMPTION AGREEMENT

This Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement is dated as of February 26, 2006 by and between CHASE EQUIPMENT LEASING, INC., as "Assignor", and CITIZENS LEASING CORPORATION d/b/a RBS ASSET FINANCE, as "Assignee".

#### WITNESSETH:

- 1. Assignor, as lessor, entered into a Lease Agreement with Public Service Company of Colorado ("PSC"), as lessee, to lease the railroad equipment specified in the Attachment hereto (the "Equipment"), which was evidenced by a Memorandum of Lease Agreement dated as of February 10, 2006 (the "Lease"), which was recorded at the Surface Transportation Board (the "Board") on February 21, 2006 under Recordation Number 26204.
- 2. In consideration of the premises and the agreements herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor is, effective as of the date hereof: (a) assigning to Assignee, all rights, title, interests, and obligations of Assignor in, under and to the Lease, and Assignee is accepting all of the same, in each such case to the extent attributable to the period commencing on and continuing after the consummation of such assignment and acceptance on Theory 25 2006 at \_\_\_\_\_. Eastern Daylight Time; and (b) selling the Equipment to Assignee, and Assignee shall be the owner of the Equipment and Assignor shall have no interest or authority of any nature regarding the Equipment. Assignor is not transferring, and Assignee is not assuming, any obligations or liabilities of Assignor under or in any way related to the Lease prior to the date hereof.
- 3. This Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original, all of which when taken together shall constitute one agreement binding on all parties. notwithstanding that all parties are not signatories to the same counterpart.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the parties hereto have caused this Memorandum of Assignment and Assumption Agreement to be executed by its duly authorized officer as of the date first written above.

CHASE EQUIPMENT LEASING, INC. as Assignor

Title: VICE PRESIDENT

CITIZENS LEASING CORPORATION, d/b/a RBS ASSET FINANCE

as Assignee

Name: David T. Micle

Title: See Vice Freshort

STATE OF OHIO	
COUNTY OF DELAWARE )	SS.
On this 2 day of February 2006, before me, Story Ploth, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared <u>Diana N. Sadler</u> personally known to me to be the person who executed the within instrument as <u>Vice President</u> on behalf of the corporation therein named, and acknowledged to me that the corporation executed it.	
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My commission expires:	Notary Public
Mark 11, 3009	STACEY R. ROTH Notary Public, State of Ohio My Commission Expires March 11, 2009

STATE OF AHODE ISLAND
COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE )
On this 24th day of February 2006, before me, Linda T Simone, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared David T Miele personally known to me to be the person who executed the within instrument as Sinic Via Product on behalf of the corporation therein named, and acknowledged to me that the corporation executed it.
[Seal] L.J.L. Notary Public
My commission expires: 11/20/06

## ATTACHMENT

# Description of Railcars and Reporting Marks

One Hundred Six (106) FreightCar America Aluminum Rotary AutoFlood III<sup>TM</sup> Railcars numbered XCLX 060139 – 060244 inclusive